

**CHRISTOPHER LEE MICHELSON,**

**Plaintiff,**

**vs.**

**MARK S. GAGE, et al.,**

**Defendants.**

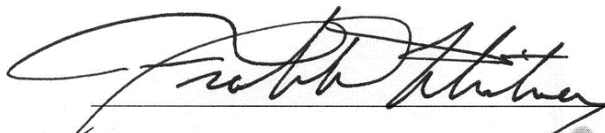

judgment.” Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i). Plaintiff’s Notice has terminated this action and the Clerk of Court will be instructed to close this case.

Plaintiff’s request for the appointment of counsel will be denied. Plaintiff was granted counsel in the related case, 1:17-cv-50, and the request for counsel is moot in the instant action due to his voluntary dismissal.<sup>1</sup>

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that:

1. Plaintiff’s Application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, (Doc. No. 2), is **GRANTED**. The Clerk is directed to enter an Order Waiving Initial Partial Filing Fee and Directing the Correctional Facility to Transmit Partial Payments.
2. Plaintiff’s Notice of Inquiry, (Doc. No. 5), is construed as a notice of voluntary dismissal under Fed. R. Civ. P. 41 and has terminated this action; the incorporated Motion seeking the appointment of counsel is **DENIED** as moot.
3. The Clerk is directed to close this case.

Signed: March 17, 2020

  
Frank D. Whitney  
Chief United States District Judge 

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<sup>1</sup> Even if Plaintiff had not moved for voluntary dismissal, the Complaint would be dismissed as duplicative.